

United States District Court
Middle District of Florida
Tampa Division

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MOBILE TAKING PLEA
TAMPA, FLORIDA, U.S.A.

United States of America

v.

Case No. 8:03-CR-77-T-30-TBM

Sami Amin Al-Arian, et al.

Defendant Sami Amin Al-Arian's Emergency
Ex Parte Motion to Stay at Orient Road
Jail at least until September 29, 2003

Come now the Defendant Sami Amin Al-Arian
in his pro se capacity and moves this
Honorable Court to order that the Defendant
stays at the Orient Road Jail at least
until September 29, 2003, for the following
reasons:

- 1) The defendant is interviewing legal counsel
for possible representation and needs extensive
time for this process.
- 2) The defendant prefers to conduct such
interview and consultation over the weekend,
on September 27 and 28, 2003.
- 3) The Orient Road Jail facility allows meeting
with legal counsel to take place during the whole day.

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- 4) The Coleman facility currently prevents the defendant from having any contact visit with any Legal Counsel.
- 5) Even if Coleman allows contact visits, the facility has a policy to end all meetings by 3 pm.
- 6) The defendant is in need to meet with his legal advisors for an extensive period of time to explore all options, and since the advisors are coming from out of town and cannot stay more than 2 days, the 3 pm deadline will hamper the defendant's ability to conduct comprehensive review of his options.
- 7) If this motion is denied, the defendant will be forced to conduct the interviews on September 25 and 26, at the expense of the discovery review process.
- 8) If the Honorable Court grants the defendant's other pending motion to extend the discovery review process beyond September 29, 2003, then this motion is to be considered most.
- 9) The defendant is filing this motion as an emergency motion since he needs to arrange

for the flights to Tampa either for Wednesday September 24 or Friday September 26 depending on the Court's ruling, and respectfully, requests that a ruling is made on this motion by September 23, 2003.

Wherefore, the defendant prays that the Honorable Court will grant the defendant's motion.

Respectfully Submitted

Sami A. Al-Arian

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Dated: September 22, 2003

Orient Road Jail

Hillsborough County